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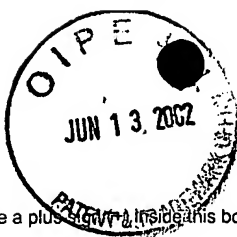
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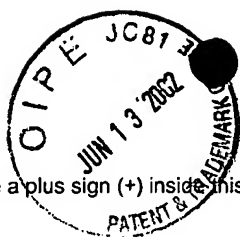
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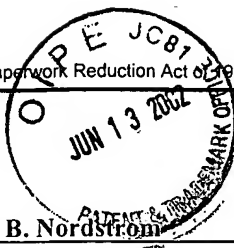
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant: Mark B. NordstromApplication No.: 10/085,397Filed: February 28, 2002Entitled: PIVOTING SHOULDER STRAP FOR A BACKPACKTRG Accessories, L.L.C., a Limited Liability Corporation

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, MARK B. NORDSTROM, a citizen of the United States, resident of the State of Tennessee, whose post office address is 6102 Foxland Drive, Brentwood, Tennessee 37027, have invented the **PIVOTAL SHOULDER STRAP FOR A BACKPACK**, which was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 28, 2002 and assigned U.S. Patent Application Number 10/085,397.

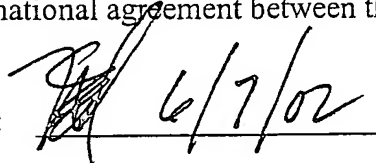
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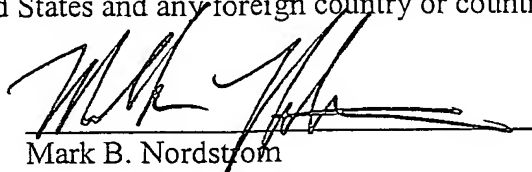
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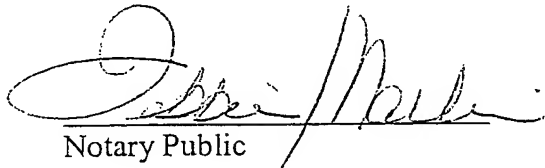
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On this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2002, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared MARK B. NORDSTROM, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above Assignment, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, as his own free act and deed.

  
Notary Public

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